STATE OF MONTANA Office of the Governor

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 5-87

OF MONTANA

Executive Order implementing the provisions of H.B. 325, Ch. 609, L. 1987, by transferring certain function allocated to the Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services, Department of Institutions, and county welfare departments and offices to the Department of Family Services.

WHEREAS, the 50th Legislative Assembly has passed House Bill 325, now Chapter 609, Montana Session Laws, 1987, signed by me into law on April 24, 1987, providing for the creation of the Department of Family Services, and providing that certain functions of the Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services, the Department of Institutions, and county welfare departments and offices be eliminated as functions of those agencies and transferred to the Department of Family Services;

WHEREAS, the efficient operation and orderly transfer of functions from the Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services, Department of Institutions and county welfare departments and offices as mandated by H.B. 325, Ch. 609, L. 1987, is of vital concern to the State of Montana;

NOW THEREFORE, I, TED SCHWINDEN, in accordance with the authority vested in me as Governor by the laws and Constitution of the State of Montana, and pursuant to Section 2-7-103, MCA, and Section 117 of H.B. 325, Ch. 609, L. 1987, hereby implement the provisions of Chapter 609, Montana Session Laws, 1987 as follows:

I hereby order that Gene Huntington, as Director of the Department of Family Services, shall have the authority to perform any acts necessary and proper to facilitate the reorganization of the youth services and aging programs of the Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services, Department of Institutions and county welfare departments and offices into the Department of Family Services, as required by H.B. 325, Ch. 609, L. 1987, effective immediately.

I hereby order the transfer of those functions of the Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services, Department of Institutions and the county welfare departments and offices outlined in Sections 2 through 14 of H.B. 325, Ch. 609, L. 1987 to the Department of Family Services effective July 1, 1987.

I hereby order that Sections 1 through 14, Sections 20 through 53 and Sections 65 through 118 of H.B. 325, Ch. 609, L. 1987 shall be effective on July 1, 1987.

I hereby order that Sections 15 through 19 and Sections 54 through 64 of H.B. 325, Ch. 609, L. 1987 shall be effective on September 1, 1987.

This Order is effective immediately.

Given under my hand and the GREAT SEAL of the State of Montana this 15th day of June in the year of our LORD, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty-Seven.

TED SCHWINDEN, Governor

ATTEST:

JIM WALTERMIRE, Secretary of State